

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

KEYSTONE LAND & DEVELOPMENT CO.,

Plaintiff,

v.

XEROX CORP.,

Defendant.

No. CR01-1018P

ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTION TO RE-TAX COSTS

This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiff's Motion to Re-tax Costs. Having considered all relevant papers and pleadings, the Court DENIES Plaintiff's Motion. Pursuant to Fed R. Civ. P 11(a), an attorney of record must sign every pleading submitted in a case. Defendant is correct to point out that corporations must appear via a licensed attorney and may not represent themselves. U.S. v. Western Processing Co., Inc., 734 F. Supp. 930, 940 (W.D. Wash. 1990). Because Plaintiff's motion is not signed by a licensed attorney of record in this case, the Court may not consider it. The Clerk of the Court shall direct a copy of this order be sent to all counsel of record.

Dated: May 13, 2005.

/s/ Marsha J. Pechman  
Marsha J. Pechman  
United States District Judge